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Applicant:

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AQUEOUS ELECTROLYTE LITHIUM ION

BATTERY AND BATTERY USING THE SAME

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## AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUING EXAMINATION

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action dated November 3, 2009, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: